

IN THE CLAIMS:

The text of all pending claims, (including withdrawn claims) is set forth below. Cancelled and not entered claims are indicated with claim number and status only. The claims as listed below show added text with underlining and deleted text with ~~striketrough~~. The status of each claim is indicated with one of (original), (currently amended), (cancelled), (withdrawn), (new), (previously presented), or (not entered).

Please AMEND claims 1, 14, 19, 23, 27, 28, and 29 in accordance with the following:

1. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) An electronic apparatus having a display, comprising;
a first memory ~~having stored~~ storing therein a parameter ~~for representing~~
at least conditions of an illegal use of said apparatus, ~~and~~;
a second memory storing image information acquired by a photographing
device which photographs a user of said apparatus; and
a control unit which stores, in a said second memory, image information
~~from a~~ acquired by said photographing device which ~~has photographed~~ photographs the user
when said conditions represented by said parameter read out from said first memory are
established, and displaying said image information on the display.
2. (ORIGINAL) An electric apparatus as set forth in Claim 1, wherein said control unit controls the output of said image information stored in said second memory in accordance with an output direction.
3. (ORIGINAL) An electronic apparatus as set forth in Claim 1, wherein said control unit directs a BIOS setup program to read out said parameter in said first memory and to record said image information in said second memory.
4. (ORIGINAL) An electronic apparatus as set forth in Claim 3, wherein said control unit directs an operating system or an application program running on said apparatus to set and alter said parameter in said first memory via an interface prepared on said BIOS program.
5. (ORIGINAL) An electronic apparatus as set forth in Claim 3, wherein said control unit directs said BIOS program to output said image information recorded in said second memory through said operating system or said application program.

6. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) An electronic apparatus as set forth in Claim 1, wherein, as said parameter, recording timing representing conditions for obtaining image information is selected, set and stored in said first memory.

7. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) An electronic apparatus as set forth in claim 1, wherein ~~a~~an image data management header, a recording time, a recording timing, a recording format and image data ~~which are in relation~~related to said image information are recorded in said second memory.

8. (ORIGINAL) An electronic apparatus as set forth in Claim 6, wherein said recording timing of said image information takes place when the power supply for said apparatus is turned on.

9. (ORIGINAL) An electronic apparatus as set forth in Claim 6, wherein said recording timing of said image information takes place when said BIOS setup program is activated.

10. (ORIGINAL) An electronic apparatus as set forth in Claim 6, wherein said recording timing of said image information takes place when said apparatus is resumed.

11. (ORIGINAL) An electronic apparatus as set forth in Claim 6, wherein said recording timing of said image information takes place when an illegal password is entered in said apparatus.

12. (ORIGINAL) An electronic apparatus as set forth in Claim 6, wherein an image information acquiring format and writing mode are selected, set and stored in said first memory as said parameter.

13. (ORIGINAL) An electronic apparatus as set forth in Claim 12, wherein the mode of writing said image data into said second memory is of an overwriting or an appending mode.

14. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A computer readable recording medium having a program recorded therein readable by for-render-a computer to execute;
reading out a parameter stored in a first memory which represents at least conditions for an illegal use of ~~said computer or an~~ electronic apparatus having said computer;
determining ~~on the~~ establishment of said conditions; ~~and~~
acquiring image information from a photographing device which
photographs a user of said apparatus, when said conditions are established;
storing acquired image information in a second memory; and
displaying said image information on a displayed provided to said
apparatus
~~in the event that said conditions are established, storing in a second memory image information by a photographing device which has photographed the user of said electronic apparatus.~~

15. (ORIGINAL) A recording medium as set forth in Claim 14 having stored therein a program for controlling the output of said image information stored in said second memory in accordance with an output direction.

16. (ORIGINAL) A recording medium as set forth in Claim 14 having stored therein a program for directing a BIOS setup program to read out said parameter in said first memory and to record said image information in said second memory.

17. (ORIGINAL) A recording medium as set forth in Claim 16 having stored therein a program for directing an operating system or an application program, running on said apparatus, to set and alter said parameter in said first memory via an interface prepared on said BIOS program.

18. (ORIGINAL) A recording medium as set forth in Claim 16 having stored therein a program for directing said BIOS program to output said image information recorded in said second memory through said operating system or said application program.

19. (ORIGINAL) A recording medium as set forth in Claim 16 having stored therein a program for recording in said second memory a image data management header, a recording time, a recording timing, a recording format and image data ~~which are in relation to~~ related said image information.

20. (ORIGINAL) A recording medium as set forth in Claim 16 having stored therein a program for selecting and setting said recording timing of said image information from timings when the power supply for said apparatus is turned on, when said BIOS setup program is activated, when said apparatus is resumed and when an illegal password is entered in said apparatus.

21. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A recording medium as set forth in Claim 16 having stored therein a program for selecting, setting and storing recording timing, a format and a writing mode, each representing conditions for obtaining image information in said first memory.

22. (ORIGINAL) A recording medium as set forth in Claim 16 having stored therein a program wherein the mode of writing said image data into said second memory is of an overwriting or an appending mode.

23. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) An image information control method, comprising the steps of;

reading out a parameter, stored in a first memory, which represents
~~representing at least conditions for an illegal use of an apparatus stored in a first memory;~~
determining ~~on the establishment of said conditions;~~ and
acquiring image information from a photographing device which
photographs a user of said apparatus, when said conditions are established;
storing acquired image information in a second memory; and
displaying said image information
~~storing image information by a photographing device which has~~
~~photographed the user of said apparatus when said conditions are established.~~

24. (ORIGINAL) An image information control method as set forth in Claim 23, wherein a BIOS setup program is directed to read out said parameter in said first memory and to record said image information in said second memory.

25. (ORIGINAL) An image information control method as set forth in Claim 24, wherein an operating system or an application program running on said apparatus is directed to set and alter said parameter in said first memory via an interface prepared on said BIOS program.

26. (ORIGINAL) An image information control method as set forth in Claim 24, wherein said BIOS program is directed to output said image information recorded in said second memory through said operating system or said application program.

27. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) An image information control method as set forth in Claim 23, wherein a image data management header, a recording time, a recording timing, a recording format and image data ~~which are in relation~~ related to said image information are recorded in said second memory.

28. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) An image information control method as set forth in Claim 24, wherein said recording timing of said image information can be selected and set from any one or a plurality of timings, ~~of these comprising~~ when the power supply for said apparatus is turned on, when said BIOS setup program is activated, when said apparatus is resumed and when an illegal password is entered in said apparatus.

29. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) An image information control method as set forth in Claim 23, wherein a format and a writing mode₁ each representing conditions for obtaining image information₁ are selected, set and stored in said first memory.

30. (ORIGINAL) An image information control method as set forth in Claim 29, wherein the mode of writing said image data into said second memory is of an overwriting or an appending mode.